



OMEPE Film Festival 2010

Call for Films

Deadline June 1, 2010

The 'Digital Age' has provided Early Childhood Educators with creative and innovative tools to enhance our teaching and engage our communities and the world! Digital video provides us with opportunities to share our work with children, families and colleagues and communicate in exciting ways.

OMEPE-USA is pleased to offer an arena for sharing our digital video work at the next NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) and NBCDI (National Black Child Development Institute) Conference as part of our OMEPE Film Festival, November 4 & 5, 2010.

The 6th Annual OMEPE Film Festival Committee is excited to include a new category:

SHORT FILMS ABOUT CHILDREN PRODUCED OR DIRECTED BY OMEPE MEMBERS

You are invited to submit short films that you have created as part of your work in ECE to be screened at our next OMEPE Film Festival. We are especially interested in digital videos that members have produced to educate children or to educate teachers and parents.

The following criteria must be met for each submission:

1. Film content is developmentally appropriate and a "G" rating
2. The film must be less than 30 minutes long
3. Submissions must be in DVD format (NTSC only)
4. The film should include a title at the front and credits at the end
5. Subtitles in English only
6. A brief synopsis of the film (less than one hundred words)
7. Film production date is between 2005 – 2010
8. The Director or Producer of the short film must be an active OMEPE member

Copies of films submitted *will not be returned* unless a postage-paid return envelope is provided.

Films submitted for this category will be reviewed by three OMEPE-USA members. The Review Panel's decisions will be sent by September 1, 2010.



Please send in this form with your information and signature with your film.

Name _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Phone _____

Title of your film: _____

City and Country of Origin _____

Runtime (minutes) _____

Check one:

_____ Animation _____ Documentary _____ Narrative

Synopsis: (not to exceed 100 words)

The individual or organization submitting the film hereby warrants that it is authorized to commit the film for screening and understand and accepts these regulations:

The undersigned shall indemnify and hold harmless OMEP from and against any and all claims, liabilities, losses, damages and expenses which may be incurred by reason of any claim involving copyright, trademark, credits, publicity, screening, and loss of or damage to the screening videos entered.

Signature _____

Date _____

Submissions must be postmarked by **June 1, 2010** in order to be considered.

You will be notified by **September 1st, 2010**, about final decisions.

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